

THE CAUCASIAN.

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Permit us to say a few words about ourselves. As you all know the CAUCASIAN came out on the 7th of last June in a new dress printed on a new press as all home print paper.

In addition we believe the people of this section would appreciate a first class, live, all home print paper and show their appreciation in a tangible way.

This improvement has been effected at an enormous expense for a county newspaper, and it is evident to you all that we must have an increased circulation to justify such an outlay.

President Harrison, in his address Monday, said: "An unlawful expedient cannot become a permanent condition of Government."

Mr. Mr. Overman, of Wayne, has introduced a bill in the House to make the fee for marriage license fifty cents.

OUR OPPORTUNITY.

There is a tide in the affairs of men which taken at its flood leads on to success and prosperity, said, in effect, one of the greatest English authors.

The further we go North the more manufacturing establishments we find and the richer are the people. We often delay starting such enterprises down South because we haven't large capital to start a big concern.

Clinton can and must take the lead in some such enterprise. In fact a movement is already on foot (as you will see in another column) for a canning factory at this place.

HARRISON'S INAUGURAL ADDRESS.

The address is a plain, unpretentious document and one which as a whole will hardly be satisfactory to either party. He professes to have no faith in a sectional policy toward the South, places himself squarely in favor of the civil service law, reaffirms the Monroe Doctrine, and indirectly endorses Whitney's manner of managing the Navy Department.

The New Hampshireites are indignant over the report that Joe Blackburn pulled the ear of their Billie Chandler, and that he was too much of a coward to resent it.

The Republicans in the Legislature caucused against the Railroad Commission bill and voted solidly against its passage.

100 YEARS IN CONGRESS

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Another very important bill which failed is the Oklahoma bill. Other important measures which failed are as follows: The General Land bill and the General Forfeiture bill; prohibiting the allowance of fee in any claim for increase of pension on account of an increase of the disability for which the pension was allowed; authorizing the issue of fractional silver certificates; to provide for the revocation of the withdrawal of lands made for the benefit of certain railroads; the Fisheries Retaliation bill recommended by the President; declaring the sense of the United States with respect to foreign control of the Panama Canal; the Blair Educational bill; the Dependent Pension bill; to obtain prison statistics; for the appointment of an alcoholic liquor commission; to establish a National art commission; to make telegraph companies subject to regulation by the Inter-State Commerce Commission, and to retire Gen. Jno. C. Fremont; the Pacific Railroad Funding bill; for the admission of Utah, Idaho, New Mexico and Wyoming Territories; to declare Trusts unlawful; to promote commercial union with Canada and to authorize the President to open negotiations with a view to the annexation of the Dominion; to grant women suffrage; to repeal the Civil-Service law, the Internal revenue laws and the tobacco tax; to lay a graduated income tax; for the bounty on sugar; for the free coinage of silver; to repeal the Omnibus act; the McKinley Canal bill. Two important treaties which were rejected were the Canadian Fisheries and the British Extradition convention.

The 51st Congress will be Republican, with a Republican President. Two years from now we will give you a summary of what they do.

ought to be taken out of existence.

The CAUCASIAN gave as its opinion last week that the tax on all itinerant quacks and peddlers from abroad should be so high as to be prohibitory, and called upon the General Assembly to take such action.

Every peddler on foot, \$10 for every county; with one horse \$20; with two or more horses, \$30 for each county; every itinerant merchant or dealer whether as principal or agent who solicits orders by retail, with or without sample, shall be considered a peddler and pay a tax of \$25 in each county; every itinerant salesman who shall expose for sale either on the street or in a house rented temporarily for that purpose, goods or articles for sale by retail, shall pay a tax of \$50 for each county. Provided that this section shall not apply to persons who sell goods of their own manufacture.

This is not sufficient yet. Our people are better off without the visits of these arrant humbugs. The News & Observer in commenting on the above section of the revenue bill, says: "It would seem that a person who solicits orders by the wholesale is not within the scope of this section."

These are our sentiments exactly. It is poor wisdom, indeed, for us to allow them to come among us at any price which they can afford to pay.

POSTSCRIPTS.

Gov. Fowle was 58 years of age last Saturday, March 2d.

Prof. W. G. Simmons, who was for thirty-two years Professor of Mathematics at Wake Forest College, died Sunday, in his 60th year.

The Governor on Monday appointed D. G. Worth, of Wilmington, and S. B. Alexander, of Charlotte, commissioners to represent this State at the Centennial celebration at New York City.

New Bern is to have a public building. Congressman Simmons was fortunate in getting the bill passed in the last moments of the 50th Congress.

A company has been formed in Vicksburg, Miss., with a paid up capital of \$100,000, for the manufacture of machines for distributing Paris green and other cotton worm destroyers.—Exchange.

DOUBLE WORK.

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have passed bills to incorporate the town of Ingold and to change the line between Lisbon and Franklin township. The House has passed a bill to repeal prohibition at Newton Grove.

The Revenue bill has passed the House. It provides 25c on the \$100 valuation of property and 75c on the poll. Peddlers are taxed as follows: Foot peddlers \$10 the county, one horse peddler \$20, more than one horse \$30. This is a change. One-horse peddler under the act of 1887 were taxed \$100.

The election law has five in the House. What its fate will be cannot be foreseen.

The Senate has passed a bill to relieve the State Treasurer of the loss of the money he had deposited in the State National Bank at time of its failure.

"A PROGRESSIVE PEOPLE." The above complimentary and deserving phrase is used by Brother Aaron as a heading for some notes on Clinton in his paper, The Telegram. We give below his article in full, but beg him to say that he should have staid longer in our pretty little town and seen more of it.

The writer visited Clinton last week and saw evidences of improvement in every part of the town, and a disposition among the citizens to encourage enterprise of any durable character. Being alive to the situation they are engaging in the cultivation of fruits and vegetable on a large scale.

White Oak Alliance has sent \$600 more to State Business Agency Fund. The members of this alliance have secured guano through the State agent at 260 lbs lint cotton for a ton of guano—Last year we gave 350 lbs per ton.

New Hope Alliance No. 866, is progressing finely. Only four out of thirty three members, expects to use guano. We hope they will see their error before it is too late, and decide not to become the servants of guano Trusts.

Straw Pond Alliance No. 580. Bro. Butler: I will give you a few hints from Straw Pond Alliance. We have passed resolutions that we will use no guano this year unless we can get it through the alliance, that we buy our guano from the North Carolina Phosphate Company that we elect a committee of 3 to meet the agent of the N. C. Phosphate Co., at Maple Grove the 1st day of March at 9 o'clock.

When you don't feel well and hardly know what ails you, give B. B. B. (Botanic Blood Balm) a trial. It is a fine tonic. T. O. Callahan, Charlotte, N. C., writes: "B. B. B. is a fine tonic, and has done me great good."

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ALLIANCE DEPARTMENT.

ORGANIZATION. President—Marion Butler; Vice-President—E. Rich; Secretary—J. D. Ezzell; Treasurer—S. A. Howard; Business Agent—G. A. Clute; Lecturer—N. H. Fenell; Chaplain—J. O. Tew; Sergeant-at-Arms—B. H. Jernigan; Doorkeeper—Charlie Crumpler; Executive Committee—J. A. Oates, Chairman; R. M. Crumpler, M. M. Killeit, W. H. Thomas, W. K. Pigford; Committee on the Good of the Order—J. A. Oates, B. S. Peterson, C. H. Johnson; Query Committee—W. J. Craddock, M. M. Killeit, Abram Hobbs.

Read Circular No. 1, sent out to Sub-Alliances by the Executive Committee Fund. Let each member act—and talk.

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ALLIANCE LECTURES. I will deliver public lectures for the benefit of Farmers Alliance, as follows: Piney Grove 6:30 o'clock p. m. Monday March 11th. Poplar Grove, March 12th at 6:30 p. m. King's School House, March 13, at 6:30 p. m. Hermon Church, March 14th at 6:20 p. m. Clinton, March 16th at 11 a. m. White Oak at Bellevoir, March 18th at 6:30 p. m. Salem, March 19th at 6:30 p. m. Ryes Bridge, March 20th at 6:30 p. m. Honeycutts, March 21st at 6:30 p. m. Respectfully, F. A. Vines.

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Johnathan Goodman against M. V. Ellis. The defendant above named will take notice that if he fail to appear at the office of the undersigned, in Clinton, N. C., on the 8th day of March, 1889, and answer or demur to a complaint filed in the above entitled cause, wherein two hundred dollars are claimed to be due plaintiff by defendant upon account, judgment by default will be entered against him.

H. B. GIDDENS, J. P. This Jan. 26th, 1889.—td.